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PRODUCTION AND SUPPORT THEREFOR, AND SYNTHETIC
LEATHER USING THE RELEASE PAPER AND PROCESS FOR
PRODUCING THE SYNTHETIC LEATHER**

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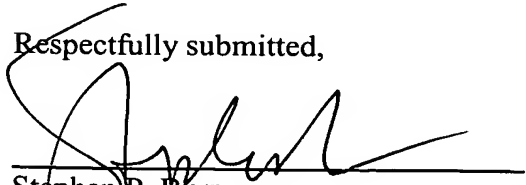
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